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Ms. Susan Roth
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Seattle, WA 98115-7114

Dear Ms. Roth:

Re: Proposal to Discontinue Groundwater Sampling at Selected Monitoring Wells:
Terminal 91 Tank Farm Site *Agreed Order No. DE 98HW-N108*

This correspondence serves as **official approval** by the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology), for the proposal to discontinue groundwater sampling from selected monitoring wells located at the Port of Seattle's (POS) Terminal 91 facility. The formal request (with attachment) was received by Ecology on March 4, 2005 and was agreed to, with conditions, via email on March 25, 2005.

The main points of the agreement:

- The Potentially Liable Person (PLP) group has the approval from Ecology for their March 4, 2005, "proposal to discontinue groundwater sampling at selected wells"; with the following condition. That CP-107 is sampled during the March 2005 sampling event, prior to eliminating it from the monitoring network.
- The Port of Seattle (or its representatives) will sample the four new upland monitoring wells, the three new 'potential point-of-compliance' monitoring wells installed on Piers 90 and 91, along with the now reduced tank farm monitoring well network in March 2005.
- Ecology and the POS will evaluate the need for additional groundwater quality analysis from the four new upland monitoring wells once the data has been reviewed from the March sampling event.

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- To confirm: The list below contains those monitoring wells that need not be sampled during the March groundwater sampling round. The wells need not be sampled during future sampling rounds of the remaining monitoring well network unless a data gap is identified; indicating that some or all of these wells should be brought back into the sampling network. (*Note: This approval does not include decommissioning the monitoring wells; the integrity of the monitoring wells must be maintained.*)

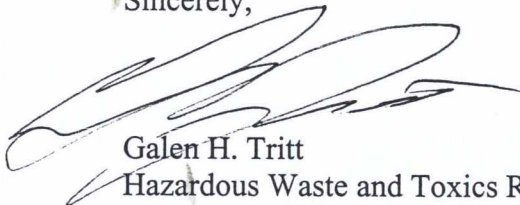
CP-104B CP-106B CP-112 CP-113

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CP-107 (After the March 2005 sampling event)

If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at the Department of Ecology Northwest Regional Office by phone at (425) 649-7280 or by email at gttri461@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely,



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